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**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

MS Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated July 27, 2006, please consider the remarks that begin on page 2 of this paper. This submission is accompanied by a Request For a Two-Month Extension of Time.